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PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 2481.1843

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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Robert Frederick VEASEY et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3763  
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Application No.: 10/820,047 ) Examiner: STIGELL, THEODORE J.  
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Filed: April 8, 2004 )  
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For: DRIVE MECHANISM SUITABLE ) Confirmation No. 7333  
FOR USE IN DRUG DELIVERY )  
DEVICES )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME - THREE MONTHS**

Applicants petition for a three month extension of time to reply to the Office  
Action mailed on September 30, 2005. A fee of \$1,020.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this Request for  
Reconsideration and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No.  
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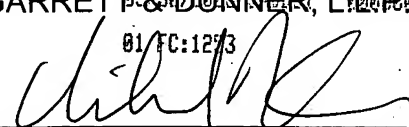
Respectfully submitted,

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